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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants Bob L. McFalls et al

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For VEHICLE OCCUPANT

> PROTECTION SYSTEM INCLUDING A DEVICE FOR SENSING TENSION IN

SEAT BELT WEBBING

Group Art Unit 3616

Examiner B.J. Gooden, Jr.

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## AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 21, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.